

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1-20. (Canceled)

21-22. (Canceled)

23. (Currently Amended): An isolated polypeptide comprising The polypeptide of claim 22, wherein the polypeptide comprises an amino acid sequence having at least 95% sequence identity to the entire length of the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2, wherein the polypeptide has carboxylesterase activity.

24. (Previously Presented): An isolated polypeptide comprising the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2.

25. (Previously Presented): An isolated polypeptide consisting of the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO:2.

26. (Previously Presented): An isolated polypeptide which is encoded by a nucleic acid molecule comprising the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO:1.

27-28. (Canceled)

29. (Currently Amended): The polypeptide of claim[[s]] 23, further comprising heterologous amino acid sequences.

30. (Currently Amended): The polypeptide of claim[[s]] 24, further comprising heterologous amino acid sequences.

31. (Currently Amended): The polypeptide of claim[[s]] 25, further comprising heterologous amino acid sequences.

32. (Currently Amended): The polypeptide of claim[[s]] 26, further comprising heterologous amino acid sequences.